POLICY FOR GRAFFITI REMOVAL ON PRIVATE PROPERTY

The City of Manchester has made a commitment to clean up graffiti in the City, including its removal from public areas and private premises *visible from the public area*. Please contact the Department of Public Works at (603) 624-6444 to report graffiti.

- 1. A completed owner request form must be submitted to the Department of Public Works <u>before</u> any work is started.
- 2. The City will only remove graffiti on private property that is *visible* from the City's right-of-way and is safely accessible by our equipment and personnel.
- 3. The City does not remove graffiti from above the first floor of buildings, objects such as garbage containers, or other surfaces as determined by the City.
- 4. The City utilizes a high pressure water machine for graffiti removal. If it is determined by the City that this method or removal is not appropriate, the City will not remove the graffiti, i.e. the City will not paint over graffiti on private property.